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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

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Sir:

Please enter the following amendment in the above identified application in response to the final official action mailed on October 11, 2001.

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please **AMEND** claims 12 and 13 in accordance with the following clean set of claims (a marked up set of the amended claims is attached):

12. (TWICE AMENDED) A static mixer structure comprising two saddle elements, each said saddle element comprising:

a generally ring-shaped support structure having a central axis, concentric inner and outer, radially spaced, circumferentially extending surfaces, and first and second axially spaced, generally parallel edge surfaces, said inner surface defining a fluid flow path which extends along said axis,

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